Sri MOHAMED ALI.—There is a little doubt as to the title of the Council to the land. To be on the very safe side, the Road Transport Corporation has decided to have the position cleared.

Sri H. D. DEVEGOWDA.—Acquisition proceedings and other things are only a formality so far as I know. What exactly is the difficulty to prepare the estimate and other things?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—A token grant of Rs. 100 has been provided in this year's programme of work. The moment the land is acquired, there will be no difficulty to take up the work.

Sri G. CHANDRAKANT.—The proposal to construct a Bus Stand at Holenarsipur Town has been accepted by the Government. Has this assurance to construct the Bus Stand been given because Sri Devegowda has joined the Congress?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—Sanction of a proposal does not depend on any individual or member. It depends upon the requirements of the travelling public.

Bus Shelters "B" Type at Halli Mysore in Holenarsipur Taluk

351. Sri H. D. DEVEGOWDA (Holenarsipur).—

Will the Minister for Transport be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether there is any proposal to construct a Bus Shelter 'B' Type at Halli Mysore in Holenarsipur Taluk by the M.S.R.T.C.;

(*b*) if so, the cost of the said Bus Shelter (B. Type);

(*c*) whether the M.S.R.T.C. intends to take steps to construct the Bus Shelter this year?

Sri MOHAMED ALI (Minister for Transport).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of reply to clauee (*a*) above.

(*c*) Not this year.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಡಿ. ದೇವೇಗೌಡ.—'c'ಗೆ "ನಾಟ್ ದಿಸ್ ಇಯರ್" ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಅಂದರೆ ಅದರ ಮುಂದಿನ ವರ್ಷವಾದರೂ ಅದನ್ನು ಕಟ್ಟಿಸುತ್ತೀರಾ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—Yes, there is a tentative proposal to take up this work next year.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಬಸವರಾಜು.—ಬಸ್‌ರಸ್ತೆಗಳನ್ನು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಕರಣಮಾಡಿದ ನಂತರ ಅಲ್ಲಲ್ಲಿ ರಸ್ತೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಬಸ್ ಷೆಲ್ಟರುಗಳನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಮಾಣಮಾಡುವುದರಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರೇನಾದರೂ ಒಂದು ಯೂನಿಫಾರಂ ಪ್ರೊಗ್ರಾಮನ್ನು ಇಟ್ಟುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆಯೇ?

1-30 P.M.

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—The policy of the Road Transport Corporation is to provide all the amenities of bus shelter, etc., in areas which are nationalised and much depends upon the land available. In some places land is available soon and therefore it is possible to start the work early; in some places on account of prolonged litigation for acquisition of land there is bound to be delay.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಹುಚ್ಚಮಾಸ್ತಿಗೌಡ.—ಈ ಬಸ್ ಸ್ಟಾಪುಗಳನ್ನು ಒಂದೊಂದುಕಡೆ ಒಂದೊಂದು ರೀತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕಟ್ಟುರಾಗಿವೆ. ಒಂದು ಮಾಡೆಲನ್ನು ಅನುಸರಿಸಿ ಕಟ್ಟುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ. ಇದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಏನಾದರೂ ಒಂದು ನಿರ್ದಿಷ್ಟವಾದ ನೀತಿ ಇದೆಯೇ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆಯೇ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—In general a uniform policy has got to be adopted but the type of bus station that has been provided at Bangalore has got to be necessarily different because from the City bus station we operate about 300 services per day. Therefore, much depends upon the traffic potential and other considerations.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎನ್. ಹುಚ್ಚಮಾಸ್ತಿಗೌಡ.—ನಾನು ಕೇಳಿದ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ-ಬಸ್ ಸ್ಟಾಪ್ ಮತ್ತು ಬಸ್ ಷೆಲ್ಟರುಗಳನ್ನು ಕಟ್ಟಿಸತಕ್ಕ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದೊಂದು ಕಡೆ ಒಂದೊಂದು ರೀತಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡಗಳನ್ನು ಕಟ್ಟಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ, ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಒಂದು ಯೂನಿಫಾರಂ ಪಾಲಿಸಿಯೇನಾದರೂ ಸರ್ಕಾರದಲ್ಲಿದೆಯೇ ಎಂದು.

Sri MOHAMED ALI.—I can say that there is a uniform policy.

Running of Buses in Kolar District

368. Sri P. VENKATAGIRIYAPPA (Kolar).—

Will the Minister for Transport be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the Government is aware that running of the nationalised buses in Kolar District are not planned efficiently, the buses are not being run on scheduled timings, buses in important routes are reduced and no arrangement has been made for passengers travelling short distances ;

(*b*) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that the Kolar District Development Council and other Local Bodies have passed resolutions pointing out the grave irregularities committed by the M. S. R. T. C. ;

(*c*) the steps the Government has taken to improve the efficiency of running buses on nationalised routes in Kolar District and to provide sufficient amenities to the public ?

Sri MOHAMED ALI (Minister for Transport).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Some suggestions have been received to improve the services.

(*c*) Adequate number of buses have been allotted and also full complement of staff has been posted to ensure proper operation of services.